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## Council of M.D. Mountain View Holds Regular Meeting

### ELKTON NEWS NOTES

The Elkton Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. J. Bagshaw on Wednesday last and it was decided to hold a special meeting at the home of Mrs. A.L. Hogg on Wednesday, November 27th to make the final arrangements about the sale of work to be held in the Elkton School on Friday, December 6th or 8th. It was decided not to charge any admission, but to charge for the lunch, which will consist of sandwiches, pie and coffee. Any donations towards the sale of work or coffee will be appreciated, as the proceeds will be used to pack parcels for boys overseas. This group sent one complete girls' outfit to the Greek Relief last month. Sewing was turned in, and also knitting, and more work was given out.

Mr. and Mrs. Parke, Inez and Edna were all Calgary visitors this week. Mr. Parke, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Parke, left to visit with his granddaughters, Mrs. Ruth Graham and Mrs. J. Stevenson of Westcott.

The teachers and pupils of the Elkton school are holding a concert in the school on Friday, November 15th. The proceeds will go towards the Christmas concert.

### RATEPAYERS ASKED TO SIGN PETITION FOR LOWER RATES

So far, the request of the Town Secretary, W.A. Austin, to have all ratepayers interested in lower rates for Didsbury come to his office and sign the petition, has not met with very little response. Mr. Austin has advised The Pioneer that this petition will not be circulated indefinitely and that the final date for signing will be Saturday, November 25th. So if you want a lower light and power bill to see each month, be sure that you sign the petition immediately.

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### To Gravel McDougall Condee West of Didsbury

Rowe A.L. Hogg provided and Comptroller B.C. Tribble, Fred J. Niddler, J.W. Moe, J.C. McCulloch, Jas. Watt and Chas. Fox were present at the regular meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 250 held at Didsbury on Monday, November 11th.

One case was reviewed at the report of court appeal under the Farmers Creditors Arrangement Act, and two cases went before the official receiver. A communication from the Highway Commission advised the Council that a new bridge would be erected at early next year on the south side of the N.W. of 25th 147th, near Cinnamon and the Council arranged for the purchase of a road allowance through Section 3.

A damage claim for one repair was reviewed by the Council.

Arrangements were made to pay \$100 on a gravel pit near Cinnamon and also to purchase another gravel pit 12 miles west of Didsbury.

Ratepayers were reminded that the 3% discount on current taxes expires on December 1, 1941, and a notice to this effect appears elsewhere in this issue.

Council considered a deal to sell the old fair buildings on the Crossfield farm grounds.

The Presidential Building Association scheme came up for discussion and the plan was voted for the present.

Council granted one exemption under the Soldiers' Relief Act.

Third reading was given to By-law No. 20 for the sale of R.R. 6-24-1-3-4 under the Tax Recovery Act.

Arrangements were made to consult the local boards for poundkeepers into one board.

Mr. W. Vaugh interviewed the Council regarding the travelling of the road in the east side of N.W. 32-25, and Council agreed to do this work with Mr. Vaugh paying the entire cost.

Arrangements were made to lay in a lot yards of gravel through the McDougall Condee west of Didsbury.

Mr. Geo. Vaugh was appointed a Returning Officer for the Municipal Elections, and it was decided to hold the annual meeting of the municipality at Didsbury on Saturday, February 17th.

Council agreed to purchase the P.B. 4 Controllorship from Mr. H.J. Cruikshank.

West Inspector Stanley Hodgson reported to the council on the year's work.

The Council received reports on the fire-fighting program throughout the Municipality, and it was stated that all travelling projects were successful, but satisfactorily, and would be continued as long as the weather is favorable. Graveling is being done near Didsbury and west of Didsbury.

The next meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 250 will be held at Didsbury on Monday, December 11th.

A farewell party was held at the home of Mrs. Wollen on Tuesday, the 7th of November, in honor of Miss Vera Sanderman. The guest of honor was presented with a small cedar chest filled with writing paper, Ganges were played and lunch served.

### DIDSBURY CAFE CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF JIM HUGHES

The first meeting of the Didsbury West Beef Cafe Club was held at the home of Jim Hughes, Mr. McCall acted as chairman and gave a short resume on club work. Donald Robertson was elected president, Margaret Kluck as secretary, and Elmer Laft as vice president. Prize money was distributed among the members.

Lunch was served and an enjoyable evening was had by all.

There were 31 people present at the meeting, and the number of Club members now stands at 13.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Robertson's home at 1200 4th on November 27th. Judging will be done.

### DISPLAY PICTURES OF SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Most people have agreed that the display of pictures of Didsbury's service men and women was an outstanding success. We have had lots of favorable comments.

It was a success because everybody contributed. The folks who loaned their treasured pictures, Messrs. Johnson and McCall and Mrs. Russell for loaning their window space, Mrs. J. McCall, Miss Joan Fletcher and Mr. Ed Watkin for valuable assistance.

The Calgary Tanks, who sponsored the display, wish to thank all those people. We realize by seeing these pictures that Didsbury may well be proud of its men and women in the service.

The pictures will be taken down this week. They will be wrapped carefully. We would like you please to call for them at Johnson and McCall's and pick them up. Once again, Thank You Everyone.

Mrs. Win Wilson, who has been seriously ill in the Holy Cross Hospital, and who has been in the hospital for a few days, is now recovering in the Didsbury hospital.

### MELVIN NOTES

On November 10 a crowd of Melvin and Springfield friends gathered at the Melvin Hall to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Holmes and family who are leaving shortly for the West Coast.

The evening was spent in dancing. At supper time the ladies in honor were presented with a satin, wool-filled comforter from their Melvin friends. The Springfield district and Sunday School presented a wooden bed for Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, a cup and saucer to each of the girls, and a bill fold to Jimmie.

We wish to extend thanks to all those who helped with the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes have lived in this neighborhood a good many years and will be greatly missed, but we wish them every success in their new home.

Don't forget the ski drive held by the Melvin Red Cross group in the Melvin school on November 20th.

Mrs. D. Landon and two daughters returned home Friday after spending a week with her sister in Calgary.

On November 2nd many friends of the Sandermans gathered at their home to bid them farewell. Led to wish them luck in their new home out west. The guests enjoyed an evening of games and stunts, after which a delicious lunch was served. At the close of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Sanderman were presented with a bed lamp and a table reading lamp as a remembrance of all the pleasant times spent together here.

The pupils of the Melvin school enjoyed a Halloween party in the afternoon at their school and collected four dollars for the "Milk For Britain" Fund.

Here's news you've all been waiting for! There will be a dance in the Melvin Hall on Friday, November 21. Music will be supplied by Tom Smith and his Mandarins from Calgary.

On Tuesday evening last week a party of young people gathered at Wollen's in honor of Vera Sanderman, who will soon be leaving on a visit. Good luck and happy landings, Verla!

### LONE PINE NOTES

The November meeting of the Lone Pine W.I. was held at Mrs. Howard Proulx' home with Mrs. J. McCall as joint hostess. 16 members answered the roll with a great turnout.

A lecture, program and dance was planned for November 21st at the hall. A lecture for the Greek Relief is being made for the December meeting.

Mrs. Pendry, our Health Unit nurse, gave an very instructing and timely address. All enjoyed, enjoyed. Our constituency convener, Mrs. Proulx, was also present and spoke on W.I. work, giving us much helpful information and a cheery message. The tea was won by Miss J. McCall.

The annual meeting will be held at the hall on Thursday, December 7.

The hall board is planning a New Year's dance to be held December 29. On Friday, November 21, is the bazaar, program and dance sponsored by the W.I. A fund pool for the children and a raffle on tables will be included. Lunch will be sold for the bazaar. Come and enjoy yourself.

Miss Tina Jenkins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jenkins in Calgary.

### DIDSBURY JOTTINGS

By A.C.H.

It is surprising, and heartening. The courage of women. We mean the women whose sons have fallen in battle.

With fortitude and courage, they take up the burden of living. It takes courage, but besides being courageous, it's also for. For being up to life belongs its own courage. That's what he did, man. Faced up to life. And that's what he came you to do. After all, he's only a little way ahead on the trail. And waiting. He's watching. And he's proud of you, man.

We'll be seeing you all at the Red Cross Tea on Saturday, November 18. It has been quite a time since we had a Red Cross tea together, and you know you are in for a good time, instead of doing those girls you on. They work hard. And they love it too. So be there to cheer them on.

## DIDSBURY UNIT OF SEVENTH VICTORY LOAN HAS 135 P.C.

### 381 Residents of Town and District Buy Bonds

Didsbury Unit went over the top in the Seventh Victory Loan Drive with flying colors, and while the Unit was only required to raise a minimum of \$50,000, the final figures released by Mr. C.E. Reiber showed that a total of \$108,100 was put into Victory bonds by the people of this district.

The above amount figures out at about 135% of the objective and gives the Local Unit the right to one honor point for the extra amount raised.

While the Unit was asked to get at least 100 individuals in the district to purchase bonds, this was not accomplished, but the canvassers did remarkably well in their endeavor, and succeeded in persuading 381 people of the district that the bonds were a good investment, and that the country needed their money.

While final figures will not be available for Canada until late in the week, it was reported from Ottawa that the loan drive was a complete success and that the Dominion had over subscribed its minimum objective of \$1,200,000,000.

The local Finance Committee wish to thank the people of Didsbury and District for their fine co-operation in making the loan here such a success.

### RETURN FROM 29-DAY TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Franklin have returned from a 29-day trip through the Central States. While there they made an extensive trip through Western Kansas, visiting Sam's birthplace. Also to Nebraska, visiting Mrs. Franklin's old home. Most of the time was spent in Junction City, Kansas, where the family reunion was held. Junction City is the geographical center of the U.S.A. While Mr. and Mrs. Franklin found record corn crops wherever they travelled, they were glad to get back to Alberta for a breath of crisp, fresh air.

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## The Canadian North

**DURING THE COURSE OF CANADA'S GROWTH** from a group of small settlements on the banks of the St. Lawrence River, to a mighty nation stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific Oceans, many frontiers have been pushed back and many vast stretches of land have been opened up. Not until the Western provinces were settled, was there opportunity for those who were looking for new land and new experiences. When no more unknown territory lay in the direction, the only remaining frontiers were to the North. There has been development in the Canadian North ever since the days of the early fur traders, but it is only recently that public interest has been fully aroused to the great potentialities of this region, which comprises two-fifths of the total area of the Dominion.

### War Awakened New Interest

The Northwest Territories, the Yukon, the Hudson's Bay district and New Quebec, formerly called Ungava, make up the territory known as the Canadian North. It covers about 1,500,000 square miles and has a population of 17,000, 5,000 of whom live in the Yukon. The outbreak of war with Japan, and the consequent threat to this continent through the Aleutian Islands, brought about the building of the Alaskan Highway and the Canal project, and through these undertakings much has been learned about the climate and potential wealth of the North. The Royal Bank of Canada recently published an interesting article dealing with this subject. It draws attention to the fact that the climate, generally considered a barrier to extensive development there, has been proven in recent years to be no serious obstacle, and that in Russia many large communities, including the city of Leningrad, lie in latitudes which we regard as the far North.

### Much Activity Is Expected

It is expected that there will be great activity in the Canadian North in the years following the war. Present sources of metals are being rapidly depleted and plans are already under way for developing the rich mineral deposits in this region. The Canal project has demonstrated the abundance of oil in that locality and there is also the prospect of securing large supplies of oil from the Athabasca tar sand deposits. Recently considerable interest has been shown in the possibility of certain sections of the North being suitable for agriculture. There are some 11,000 farmers in the Peace River country and they cultivate over 1,000,000 acres of land. It has been demonstrated that wheat and other grain crops, as well as some small fruits, including cranberries, can be grown with success in many northern districts even at points within the Arctic Circle. Authorities feel that at present it is unwise to encourage large scale agricultural development in this area, due to inaccessibility to markets and similar disadvantages, but there is little doubt but that in the years to come Canada will have a great new mining and agricultural industry in those northern regions.

# Good News!

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**SLATE QUARRIES BUSY**  
Flying bombs which ruse the roofs of thousands of houses in London and other parts of Southern England have brought renewed prosperity to the slate quarries of North Wales. Quarries are working full time providing slates for repairs.

The fixed remuneration attached to the honor of being England's poet laureate is about \$515 a year.

**FIRST AND LAST**  
More than 22 years ago Postman Walter Ritz, delivered a letter to John Jaran of Galt, Ont., and when he made his last trip before retirement the last letter in his bag was addressed to Mr. John Jaran. He estimates he has delivered 1,000,000 letters on his rounds.

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### Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—I did not obtain ration book number five during the distribution week October 14 to 21. What shall I do in order to get my new book?

A.—Any time after November 6 you can get your new book. Fill out the "K" coupon sheet in ration book 4, giving your name and address on one side and the book number on the other side of the "K" coupon. Do not remove this sheet but take your book to any branch office of the ration administration and you will get your number five ration book. If there is no branch office in your district, take your number four book to the local ration board.

Q.—I am planning on selling my grocery store and would like to know if it is necessary to make a report of my rationed commodities to the nearest ration office prior to the sale.

A.—If you are selling your grocery business you should contact your nearest ration office prior to the sale, advising the officer in charge the quantity of rationed goods and coupons on hand and the number of coupons in the bank. In some cases where stores have changed hands there has been considerable delay in making the required reports on rationed goods.

Q.—Is canned grapefruit now placed on the ration list?

A.—Yes, canned grapefruit in glass containers returned to the list of rationed commodities on October 15. Its ration value is one salad coupon for 20 ounces. Grapefruit juice has not been rationed at any time.

Q.—I have now used my ten "F" rationing sugar coupons in ration book three. Is it necessary to keep this ration book along with book four and my new book five.

A.—The only valid coupons in ration book three are the "F" rationing sugar coupons, numbered one to ten, and, if you have used these coupons, there is no further use for this number three book.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book (the leaf in which you keep track of your ceiling prices) mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

### Save Coal

**High Humidity Gives Comfort In The Winter Time**

"It's not the heat, it's the humidity" is a common saying in summer weather. According to heating authorities, the saying is true in winter too, but in a different sense. Time may be saved by maintaining high humidity in the house, householders will be more comfortable even though temperatures are lower. The important angle is that coal will be saved.

Potted plants also make good humidifiers, if they are kept well watered. Their porous pots literally ooze moisture.

Homes that are heated by stoves need have no humidifying problems this winter. A kettle of water steaming on the back of the stove will do the trick.

A pan of water underneath the radiator, is a good substitute for regular humidifying pans that fit on the back of the radiator.

### Relaxing The Rules

**More Gaiety In Britain Is Promised For This Winter**

Another step towards a brighter winter Britain is promised this winter.

Dances, which for the past five years have had to end before midnight, will probably continue into the early hours with the approval of the majority of the police chiefs and licensing magistrates.

Police chiefs welcome the opportunity of allowing a little more gaiety to come back into the lives of millions of people, for whom dancing was the principal peace-time pleasure.

The first move was made by Darwen (Lancashire) magistrates, who granted an extension for a works dance until 2 a.m.

This is the first time in the war that the young people of this cotton town, with a population of 37,000, have been able to go on dancing after midnight.—London Daily Mail

It has been estimated that the mill Bonnet of the world have increased 600 per cent. since 1923. 2592

# Buy Victory Bonds "SALTA" TEA

### Hating Everybody

**That Is The Position That Germany Is In Today**

The Germans are today in that unique position of hating everybody except themselves, and perhaps Japan—although I do not think that there is any real love lost between these two partners in crime.

At the same time the Germans are in the unique situation that their present regime and all it implies is hated by everybody—even if some of us who are more civilized are not such good haters as the brown-shirted vanguardists.

By the way, in my estimation, perhaps the most deadly sin Hitler committed was readily and causing more hating than any man in history if not in the world, surely in Europe.—Jan Masaryk, in the London Chronicle.

### SMILE AWHILE

A farmer in great need of help finally asked St. Warren, a town character, if he would help him out.

"What'll you pay?" demanded St. "I'll pay what you're worth," answered the farmer.

St. scratched his head a minute and then answered decisively: "I'll be darned if I'll work for that!"

Squire (revolving old manor)—And how is my great-uncle, Sir Giles, the ghost who used to walk up and down the stairs all night?

New Owner of Manor (who has had the place modernized)—Oh, the ghost? He doesn't give us a wink of sleep, ringing for the lift!

"George, am I as dear to you as I was before we were married?"

"Ah, in those days I didn't count the cost."

"Are your eggs fresh?"

"Muhah, the hen doesn't realize I've got them yet."

Teacher: "Willie which would you rather have been, Shakespeare or Charlie Chaplin?"

Willie: "Charlie Chaplin, Miss, 'cause he ain't dead."

"One, two, three, four; one, two, three, four—" yelled the drill-sergeant.

"My goodness me!" said the sweet little thing, "do they really have to teach those ignorant recruits how to count?"

"I shall sue you for keeping a dangerous dog. He chased me again this morning."

"You're very ungrateful. You know you would have missed the \$30 bus if he hadn't."

King: "If you looked at a postage stamp, how could you tell we were never going to lose a war?"

Long: "I dunno."

King: "Why, because the King is always on the side that's never licked."

"I see, dear," remarked the wife, reading from her newspaper, "that a woman has been awarded £2,000 damages for the loss of a thumb. I shouldn't have thought a thumb was as valuable as that."

"Perhaps she kept her husband under it," grunted her husband.

### DECLINE OF FRANCE

Portland, Ore. French journalist, believes that the main cause of France's decline is that it has been ruled by second-rate statesmen ever since the days of Clemenceau and Poincare. Undoubtedly the times now call for strong and capable leadership in France. Maybe de Gaulle, military man though he is, will be the one to give it.—Brockville Recorder & Times.

### Budget Outfit



By ANNE ADAMS

Only one yard fabric needed for jacket plus jumper! This sweet little outfit, Pattern 4647, includes one-piece blouse.

Pattern 4647 comes in toddlers sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Size 2, jumper and jacket takes 1 yard 30-inch blouse; ¾ yard 30-inch.

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### SOMETHING HE MISSED

Although he has travelled about 6,000 miles in the last 33 years, William Fisher, Omaha, Neb., locomotive engineer recently had his first glimpse of the ocean. "I've travelled enough to have gone around the world scores of times but this is the first I've ever set eyes on salt water," he said.

Louis XIV is said to have originated the minuet.

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## How The Measures Of Control That Were Put Into Operation Effected The British Farmer

HOW government control of agriculture in Britain has been operated during the war and some of the effects the measures of control have had on farmers and farming were outlined at a recent meeting in Ottawa of the Eastern Ontario branch of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists, by Anthony Hurd, a farmer in Wiltshire, England. He is also the liaison officer and Assistant Agricultural Adviser for the British Ministry of Agriculture in the Southwestern Counties of England.

Mr. Hurd said that thoughtful men in Britain regarded agriculture as a great asset to the nation as a strong navy. The weakness on the British food front before the war may have been an invitation to Germany to wage war against the Nation. When the war started Britain was producing only about 40 per cent. of her food supply, now it is producing 70 per cent.

Since the war the folly of having too many people on low diet has been learned and there is hope that the post-war agricultural policy will be more concerned about better diet, higher nutrition, in carrying out the recommendations of the Hot Springs Conference on Food and Agriculture, rather than in terms of making money. More has been learned of value to British agriculture in the five years of war than was learned in 50 years of peace.

The speaker said that though Britain is now producing 30 per cent. more food than before the war it is food for a wartime diet, mostly wheat, potatoes and other vegetables and all other it is a very dull diet. Farming is controlled through County War Agricultural Committees, really agents of the British Ministry of Agriculture. The members of the Committees are five farmers, one representative of labour unions and one woman representing the Women's Land Army, which numbers about 70,000. Each County is given a proportionate allocation and the committee sees that it is met. The farmer may be told to clear land and crop it, drain a field, or plant an increased acreage to a particular crop. He is served if necessary with legal decisions under the Wartime regulations. Government grants may be paid for clearing land or draining it. A farmer may be directed to do anything considered reasonable. Inefficient farmers are removed from their farms and competent men take their place. Under the wartime regulations there is no favoritism. Feeds, fertilizers and labour are controlled. There has been a substantial shortage of protein feeds since the war. Britain imported about 8,000,000 tons of feed in the pre-war years, now the feed imports are only about one-sixth of that amount. Protein feeds are rationed and dairy farmers get first priority. Every effort has been made to keep milk production up and milk consumption in Britain has increased since the start of the war by 37 per cent. Women and children get first consideration in the available milk supply.

The Ministry of Agriculture during the war years has developed its advisory service to farmers by employing the best available scientists and technical men. Before the war only about one British farmer in eight got in touch with the advisory services. Now about seven out of eight do so for advice and guidance. This has resulted in the farmers learning the value of science in modern farming and in methods that result in higher efficiency. The result of this has put new life and vigour into British agriculture.

Mr. Hurd said that it may be that much of the measure of wartime control of agriculture may be lifted by 1946. Should this come about, there will be a switch from wheat to oats and mixed grains. During the war livestock production has naturally suffered and when peace comes there will be an effort to regain the former place it held.

### EASILY BELIEVED

A German prisoner of the American Third Army told his captors the other day that he still had faith in one of Adolf Hitler's solemn vows to the German people. The prisoner recalled the Fuehrer's promise: "If I could have control of Germany for 10 years you wouldn't be able to recognize it."

### Valuable Equipment

Anti-Gas Device Is Vital Part Of Every Soldier's Pack

Every Canadian soldier overseas goes into battle with a piece of equipment that may one day save his life. It is a small canister filled with charred coconut shell; the most important part of his anti-gas equipment.

In a chemical plant in Quebec fewer than two dozen people turn out annually several hundred thousand pounds of activated carbon.

The coconut shells are gathered in the West Indies, and they arrive in the Dominion in a rough, charred form. First they are redried and then put through an activating furnace. Mixed with other chemicals they are then ready for use in the canisters of respirators.

The coconut shells have a high absorbent quality that filters out poisonous gases enabling a soldier to breathe fresh, clean air even though he is fighting in the middle of an enemy gas attack. Although the Germans haven't used gas so far in this war, the army isn't taking any chances.

The Canadian production of the activated carbon is five times greater than that of the United States before the war. And although it was not made in the Dominion before 1939, activated carbon has a possible post-war use in air-conditioning units for offices.

### FINDS DEFECTS

Announcement of the perfection of a two-million-volt mobile X-ray machine which will take pictures through a solid foot of steel was made at Chicago by Dr. Ernest E. Charlton of the General Electric Co. This doubles the voltage available to metal sections to find defects.

### Town Planning

More Attention Should Be Paid To This Question

Town planning is a subject that affects consciously every dweller in a built up area. It is therefore a subject about which the ordinary individual should have some general knowledge, at least. The more detailed that knowledge, the more it will inevitably be reflected in better towns and cities and a better standard of living for the citizens.

A vast amount of rebuilding will go forward in the post-war years. It should proceed in accordance with the recognized principles of modern planning. Therefore when such a course is offered at Carleton College on Town and Regional Planning and Housing, by an authority on the subject, it is an opportunity that many responsible citizens will take to become better informed.

Largely Canada has grown without any great planning or, where there has been a plan, it has not been in accordance with what is now considered to be the best and most enlightened practice. Ottawa has now set up a department of planning and development; the Dominion government has encouraged the municipalities and the citizens generally to take up the consideration of proper town planning.

It is up to the citizens who really want their communities to be better places to live in to devote some study to the problems involved and their possible solution. To leave it all to the aldermen and controllers and civic officials is not enough.—Ottawa Citizen.

### American Soprano

Grace Moore Aided French Patriots During German Occupation

The villa belonging to Grace Moore, famous American soprano of the opera and cinema, was a refuge for scores of French patriots during the more than four years of German occupation.

Miss Moore's Villa Casa Lauretta at Moulins, near Cannes, was converted by Julien, her chauffeur and gardener, into a relay station for Maquis fleeing from the Gestapo. The French Partisan leader, Jean Marie de Cannes, said Julien had hidden, fed and clothed more than 50 such patriots.

Julien said to a correspondent: "Tell Miss Moore that Casa Lauretta has been used in the service of France."

### The Steady Hum



The hum of "roving frames" in cotton mills across the Dominion is a funeral hymn for Hitler and his Nazi crew. Aircraft fabrics, tire fabrics, camouflage material, anti-gas cloth, uniforms, war equipment, tarpaulins, powder bags, ground sheets, bandages, tent ducks and scores of other war essentials are being turned out by the millions of yards. These equip not only Canadian armed forces, but also the fighting men of Australia, Africa, Britain, India and New Zealand.

## The Interesting Story Of How Canada Became The Birthplace Of The Trans-Atlantic Wireless

THE energies of the late Sir William Mulock touched the life of Canada and the Empire at many points for a long period. Naturally our brief reference to his passing could not cite even a few of his notable acts. One of these was his official encouragement while Postmaster General, of wireless telegraphy, and its immortal inventor, Guglielmo Marconi. Though little known to the public it was a service that Marconi never forgot and while he lived his messages of goodwill to Sir William were frequent.

### Snoozle The Kitten



by Alice Brooks

Snoozle the Kitten is no trouble at all she loves to sleep. All the tots and grown-ups, too, love this floppy toy.

Make her for the bazaar, she'll sell like a charm! Pattern 7261 contains a transfer pattern and instructions for this sleeping kitten.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number. "Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

### Could Not Qualify

Hitler Was Never A Corporal In The Old German Army

The following letter appeared in the New York Times:

Hitler is often referred to as a "corporal of the First Great War." Even Mr. Churchill speaks constantly of him as of a corporal. This conferring upon the man a rank to which not even he has ever laid a claim.

As a matter of fact, in the old Imperial German "Army" Hitler's military talents were not considered sufficient to justify his promotion to non-commissioned rank. His only promotion came when he was made a "Gefreiter," which is the equivalent of a private first class. "Gefreiter" is, in the German military hierarchy, a link between the simple "Man" (private) and the "Unteroffizier," the lowest degree of non-commissioned rank.

Therefore, until Hitler promoted himself to be Commander in Chief of all the German armed forces, the highest military rank that he ever had attained was that of a private first class. The misunderstanding might have arisen because in Rudolf Olden's Hitler biography, in which his failure to reach a higher rank than that of "Gefreiter" is discussed at length (Chapter IV, page 63), this word is falsely translated into "corporal."

### Open Schools

To Open High School In France And England For U.S. Soldiers

The U.S. army is going to open service high schools and universities in France and England when the war in Europe ends so that soldiers may resume their education as soon as possible, it was announced.

Courses are being arranged in conjunction with the University of Paris, and thousands on completion of army studies will be eligible to attend the Sorbonne.

Britain's huge 16 inch naval guns cost \$225,000 each.

In the first decade of this century the future of the world was entirely changed by revolutions in communications effected by a handful of men. Marconi, the Wright brothers, and Diesel, inventor of the internal combustion engine, for instance. The greatest miracle worker of all was Marconi. The man who sits at his breakfast table and listens to what has happened overnight on the Western front, owes this boon to him and the army of technicians who followed his lead. There was a time, less than fifty years ago, when Marconi, half-Italian and half-Irish, was a poor young genius, regarded as a dreamer and possibly an impostor. It was then that the interest of Canada's Postmaster General stood him in good stead. In Italy his ideas had received no encouragement whatever, but he fared better with the British authorities and ultimately proved his theories by the establishment in 1899 of wireless communications between England and France.

That wireless could be operative across the vast Atlantic had yet to be demonstrated. In 1901 Marconi was in Newfoundland and received recognizable signals from Poldu, Cornwall—2,100 miles away. The story was doubted and Marconi was at his wit's end to obtain funds and recognition. It happened that Alexander Johnston, M.P., editor of a Sydney, N.S., newspaper, and later Deputy Minister of Marine, read of Marconi's experiments in a Newfoundland newspaper, and was convinced that Marconi should be invited to use Cape Breton as a base of experiments. He communicated with Ottawa, but only one of the ministers was interested—Sir William Mulock, Postmaster General.

The latter, with whom communications was a hobby, seized on the project eagerly. Though he had no parliamentary authority to expend money in that way, he managed to stake Marconi with funds to conduct experiments on a larger scale, from a station in Cape Breton. They were a success. This Canada became the birthplace of Trans-Atlantic wireless. Reference books record that such communications were first formally inaugurated in a message from the Governor General of Canada (arranged by Sir William) to King Edward VII, transmitted by Marconi himself, in 1901. Had it not been for the hospitality of the Mulock mind to new ideas that honor would never have come to Canada. It paved the way to fortune and immortal fame for the poor young inventor, and nobody realized that so much as Marconi himself, Toronto Saturday Night.

### Memorials Intact

War Cemeteries In France And Belgium Well Cared For

The Imperial war graves commission announced at a meeting in London that reports received indicate cemeteries and memorials of the First Great War in France and Belgium generally are in good order and have been "reverently" cared for by French and Belgian authorities during the enemy occupation.

The meeting was told that an advance party of the commission's officers had proceeded to France and Belgium with a view to resumption of the commission's work at the earliest possible moment.

### DEPENDENT ON INDIA

For the first time and a half years of the war, in which almost wholly responsible for supplying the bulk of the war materials needed for the strategically vital Middle East.

Onions and pumpkins are more solid than milk, which also has more solid matter than carrots, beets, turnips and radishes.

# GET ON THE RIGHT TRACK

Increase your purchases of War Savings Stamps and Certificates. For Canada for Victory put your dollars where they count the most . . . Continue to Speed the Victory with an extra purchase today!

## Space Dominated By The BREWING INDUSTRY OF ALBERTA

### HERBERT—WOLLEN

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Wollen on Wednesday, November 1st at 2:30 p.m., when their second daughter Elizabeth Genevieve, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank P. Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Herbert. The ceremony was performed under a pink and white arch with pink and white streamers. Rev. D. Whyte Smith officiated.

Miss Verla Sanderman, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid and Herman Wollen, brother of the bride, acted as best man.

The bride looked lovely in white corded taffeta with floor-length veil and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bridesmaid was charming in a floor-length white sheer with silver sequins trimming and carried a bouquet of white mums.

act of white mums. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Leo Sanderson, and the bride and groom, accompanied by the bridesmaid and groomsmen, were escorted by Miss Dora Herbert, sister of the groom.

After the ceremony, a reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert at the home of the bride.

A wedding dance was given in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert at the home of the bride. A good crowd and a very fine time was had by all.

The newly weds were the recipient of many lovely gifts, and the three floor wedding cake was decorated by Hazel Youngs.

—Dance at Melvin on November 21. Made by the "Mandarin". 452c

## WANT ADS.

The Melvin Red Cross will hold a What Drive at the Melvin School on November 20th. 2t

FOR SALE—40 March hatched New Hampshire Pullets at \$1.00 each. Mrs. M.E. Archer, Phone 707. 3tp

—FOR SALE—A real opportunity to purchase a well-built, insulated house, 13x24 on skids, built only 3 years ago, at a cost of \$200. Also hen house for 100 birds, brooder house, 500 chicks. Both insulated. Bank house \$812. Must be sold during November. What offer? Apply to Henry Snyder, Didsbury. 2p

—FOR SALE—Standing Spruce Timber, Logs, Poles and Pulp. Apply to L. Mikkelsen, Bergen. 44tp

—DANCE at Rugby Hall on Dec. 1. Music supplied by Melody Five. 3c

—FOR SALE—Young Saddle Pony, suited for children. —J.V. Berscht, 1tc

—FOR SALE—100 Spruce, Pines, six and eight feet.—J.V. Berscht, 1tc

—WANTED—Four girls. One waitress, one kitchen help and two chamber maids. Apply at Roseland Hotel, Didsbury. 1tc

—FOR SALE—Purebred and Registered Scotch Shorthorn Bulls and Females. Apply to H.W. Watt, Didsbury. 1tp

—FOR SALE—Section of land in the Didsbury District, 500 acres under cultivation. All road improvements, 2 good wells, ideal sized farm, hog houses for 250 head of hogs. Must have good equipment. Can take possession any time. Apply at the Didsbury Pioneer for further particulars. 3tp

### NOTICE

2 Red Corduroy Skirts were taken from Ranton's last week. Return them to the Pioneer office and no questions will be asked. This will save you trouble. 1c

## Now on Sale!

### HIGH QUALITY FLOUR BRAN and SHORTS

Special Dairy Bran for Production and Special Shorts for Weaner Pigs

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We Also Carry a Stock of "Money Maker" Feed Supplements

## ROSEBUD FLOUR MILL

M. WEBER, Manager

### The Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta

#### APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to apply to The Alberta Liquor Control Board for a License to sell Beer by the glass or open bottle, for consumption on the premises, and also to sell Beer by the untaxed bottle for consumption elsewhere than upon the licensed premises, in conformity with the provisions of The Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta and the Regulations made thereunder, with respect to the following described premises:

Beer Salesroom in the south-east corner of the ground (No. 4) of the Rosebud Hotel, situated on Lots 11 and 12, in Block 8, Plan No. 4744, Didsbury, Alberta.

Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 15th day of November, 1944.

SAMUEL KRUEGER,

Applicant

### NOTICE

The Town Council of the Town of Didsbury urgently requests all Domestic Light Consumers in the Town to go as soon as possible to the Town Office, and sign the Petition to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners and the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, which if it is sufficiently signed, will enable the Calgary Power Company to put into force the new proposed Domestic Light Rate Schedule, which will effect a big saving, and be of great benefit to the Town as a whole. Please do not delay signing the Petition.

W. A. AUSTIN,

Secretary-Treasurer

### BERGEN NOTES

Norman Halverson is in England and may be sent to India.

John Gamble is on board the Raft Park merchant marine, and he also may see India.

Mr. H. Nelson is having a sale on November 15th and then goes to make his home near Acadia Valley.

The fence in front of the Bergen church has had a coat of paint. Also the basement and easterly for the new foundation for the parsonage has had the cement poured and if weather turns mild the above foundation will be poured.

Mr. Chas. Erickson, who is in the hospital at St. James, feels he will soon be home.

### THE PIONEER

In 1914 I recall

When Mr. Osmund owned the press.

A raging fire swept the town;

That caused calamity and distress.

My butcher shop went up in flames,

Other stores almost a score.

Those business men have left the town.

We do not see them any more,

Around near 1925

A Mr. Cotton bought the Press,

I had amnesia.

And some others know the rest.

Then from Olds came Mr. Gooder.

But it should be better told.

I am sure I cannot change it.

So I mean to let it rest.

A Mr. Boulton is next in line,

Who buys from Carlin, so they say.

Has his line-type all ready

For the news you have today.

Give the Pioneer a welcome,

But it enter every week!

Accord to your wants and wishes,

It will bring you all you seek.

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Church Announcements

EVANGELICAL

Rev. A. N. Vanech, B.A. Pastor

Sundays: 10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship

11:30 a.m.—Sunday School

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship

Wednesdays, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting

UNITED

Rev. D. Whyte Smith, Minister

11:00 a.m.—Sunday School

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship

Westcott 11 a.m.

M. B. C.

MENNONITE BROTHERS IN CHRIST

Rev. Earl Archer, Pastor

Sundays: 1:30 p.m.—Sunday School

2:30 p.m.—Prayer service

7:45 p.m.—Prayer service, including Young People's meeting on alternate Sundays

Wednesdays, 8 p.m.—Prayer service

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Cyprian's, Didsbury

Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector

2nd Sunday Evening at 3 p.m.

4th Sunday

11:15 Communion 11a m.

LUTHERAN

Rev. Albert F. Reimer, Pastor

Westcott 11:30 a.m. Every Sunday

Didsbury: 2:30 p.m. Every Sunday except the 4th.



## NOTICE TO EMPLOYERS AND THEIR MALE EMPLOYEES— Including Farmers

By an order signed on August 15th, 1944, by the undersigned  
Minister of Labour under authority  
National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944:

1. Commencing August 22nd, 1944, every employer is required to check the documents held by each male employed male employee, within 7 days of the employee's engagement, to determine if such employee possesses documents to show that he is in good standing under National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944 (that is, in relation to the Military Call-up).
2. Every employer must report on Schedule 9 to the Registrar for his Mobilization Division concerning any employee found not to possess documents as referred to.
3. Every employer is required similarly to check the documents held by each male employee now working for him, whose

documents he has not checked before, and to report to the Registrar for his Mobilization Division at once on any such employee found not to possess documents as referred to.

4. Any male employee here referred to, is required by the Regulations to present his documents to his employer for purposes of inspection.

5. FOR THIS PURPOSE "EMPLOYER" INCLUDES ALSO ANY FARMER OPERATING A FARM, WHO HAS A MALE PERSON WORKING FOR HIM;

6. Penalties are provided for any employer or male employee who fails to comply with these Regulations.

By an earlier order, employers were required to check the documents held by their male employees, and to report by May 1st, 1944, on doubtful cases as well as cases where employees did not possess documents.

Employers are asked to remember that they do not report on men who do possess the necessary documents, only on those who fail to present documents for examination, or where there is doubt that the document presented actually proves good standing.

The employers of Grande, including farmers, co-operated very satisfactorily on the first check, made up to May 1st, last. This co-operation was decidedly helpful, and is very much appreciated. Further co-operation is now earnestly requested.

Schedule 9, for reporting to the Registrar, and details as to documents which prove good standing, are available through the nearest Employment and Selective Service Office.

Farmers not needed on the farm during the winter, who answer the urgent call for winter workers in other essential industries, will be given a continuance of postponement of military training while away from the farm.

**NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE**  
BURNHAY MIDDLETON  
Minister of Labour  
A. MacNAMARA  
Director, National Selective Service



WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Major G. R. Bennett of the Wartime Information Board staff, has left Ottawa to become press attaché at the Canadian legation in Paris.

This year's Nobel prize for medicine has been awarded to Sir Alexander Fleming, discoverer of penicillin, the Bern radio said.

Among 155 civilians in Britain known to have been blinded by enemy action, 32 lost their sight during flying bomb attacks.

Sir Frank Alexander, 63, chairman of the Baltic Exchange, was chosen lord mayor of London in succession to Sir Frank Newton Smith.

To avoid colliding with the car of the Hon. M. Bowden-Lyon, brother of the Queen, a R.A.C. motorcyclist ran into a brick wall and broke his ankle.

The B.C. government has bought a site near Duncan for a third Provincial government forest nursery where 6,000,000 trees are to be produced annually for reforestation.

More fish is in prospect for Britain this winter. Many trawlers which have been in the Navy for five years have been released to join the fishing fleet.

A. C. Briceault, Montreal manager for National Selective Service, said that there will be a drastic reduction in employment during the post-war years as there was after other wars.

## Award Was Changed

King George Gives Coldstream Guards' Officer The Victoria Cross

When the King was in Italy recently he pinned the Distinguished Conduct Medal on the uniform of Company Sergeant-Major Harold Wright of the Coldstream Guards. Later, the King had an opportunity of looking over the report about the men he had decorated, and he said to General Sir Harold Alexander: "If ever a man deserved the V.C., it is this man to whom I have just given the D.C.M."

The Distinguished Conduct Medal is the highest award for bravery that a commander in the field can give. For the Victoria Cross, a recommendation has to be forwarded to the King. Right there on the spot the King exercised his prerogative and announced that he would decorate Wright with the highest award in the British Army. Wright will return the D.C.M., and will attend an investiture at Buckingham Palace to have the V.C. pinned on his breast by His Majesty.

The margin between the Military Medal, the Distinguished Conduct Medal and the Victoria Cross is sometimes very small and it must be a difficult problem for a commanding officer what to award. Many men have performed deeds of valor that deserved higher, or the highest recognition, and countless deeds have been performed that did not receive any decoration at all.

C.S.M. Wright certainly deserved the Victoria Cross. When all his officers were killed or wounded and he found that three machine-gun nests were holding up his company, he crept forward alone under intense small-arm and mortar fire, and one after another bayoneted the crews. Then he led his men on.

It was a similar act in the earliest days of the last war that won the Victoria Cross for Sergeant Michael O'Leary of the Irish Guards, whose exploit became a legend overnight. St. Thomas Times-Journal.

## PAID IN ADVANCE

"How much will that cost?" asked the man who called the Tribune at Tulsa, Okla., to place a classified ad. "Exactly 60 cents," said the ad-taker. There was a moment of silence, then from the other end came a series of tinkling sounds. "What are you doing?" asked the ad-taker. "Why, I'm paying for the ad, of course," said the caller. "I'm putting 60 cents of nickels right here in the telephone."

## FINE FOR CHILDREN

The last few months of the German occupation of Belgium provided children with new playgrounds—the fine concrete highways over which German transport moved. Belgian kiddies used them for roller skating.

## Reciprocal Rights

Empowered To Hold Own Military Tribunals In U.S.

Canada and the United Kingdom are empowered to hold their own military tribunals in cases affecting their armed forces in the United States, according to a presidential order published in the Federal Gazette at Washington.

The United States has been given similar powers over its own forces in Canada and the United Kingdom and the order giving these countries reciprocal rights here has been in effect for some time but was formally published only recently.

## Making New Plans

Allied Governments Hear Nazis Seeking Flying Units Outside Germany

News has reached Allied Governments that the Nazis are already planning to defeat restrictions on post-war German air development by establishing airlines in countries other than Germany.

Information has been passed on that secret inquiries have been made in two neutral countries by German interests seeking investment in flying grounds and inquiring into the possibility of financing new airfields which would form the basis of a new Luftwaffe. London Daily Sketch.

## British Lancasters

Carrying Capacity About Double Of Any Other Machine

British Lancaster bombers, powered by four Rolls Royce Merlin engines, whose bomb-carrying capacity is approximately double that of any other machine in the world, are already flying freight across the Atlantic. Easily convertible to carry from 30 to 50 passengers, their long range and high speed will make them civil airliners with performance second to none immediately the war is ended. British Information.

## MUST GIVE UP PLATINUM

Compulsory sale of all family platinum has been ordered by Japan's munitions ministry to offset the shortage of this important and indispensable war material. Tokyo radio reported in a broadcast.

## Energy From The Sun

Converter Capable Of Melting Iron Invented In Russia

A new type of solar energy converter capable of melting iron has been developed by the refugee Spanish scientist, Federico Molero, who is carrying on experimental work in Tashkent, capital of Soviet Uzbekistan.

In an article published in the Moscow Mirror, Molero describes his energy converter as a "paraboloidal mirror, 33 feet in diameter," mounted on light metal framework resembling the wings of an airplane. He states that the reflector surface is made of ordinary window glass, bent into the desired shape without pre-heating.

According to Molero, his device can produce hot water "in quantities measurable by the thousands of kilograms hourly" or "superheated steam at a temperature of 470 degrees centigrade," which is hot enough to melt a number of metals, including iron.

Because of the fact that the solar converter is unable to operate in cloudy weather, Molero says that his new machine will be best suited for use in branches of economy "where energy consumption coincides with energy production."

His machine could be used, for example, to drive steam engines to pump water for irrigation purposes. Molero suggests that his machine may thus be potentially capable of promoting climate raising in the arid regions of Central Asia. He also thinks it could be used for refrigeration, or for conditioning the same area where need for such service is the greatest during the sunny period of the year.

## THE ONLY ANSWER

Heard the other day of a father who had received word that his son, a brilliant lad, had been killed in battle. Turning to his rector he cried in desperation, "Tell me, sir, where was God when my son was killed?" "My friend," replied the rector, "God was just where He was when his own Son was killed!"

Whistling swans do not whistle and screech owls do not screech.

## Trophies Of War

Men Will Not Have To Pay Duty On Souvenirs

Hundreds of Canadian airmen are planning to bring home trophies of war, which the Dominion government has decided to allow into the country duty-free.

German motorcycles, swastika belt buckles, laser pistols, mousier rifles, jewelled "Death Head" shoulder badges of S.S. regiments and tin helmets are among the trophies the men want to carry home.

Some even wonder if the phrase "trophies of war" could be stretched to include camouflaged enemy scout cars and small amphibious "ducks," left behind by the retreating enemy.

## Go North

Territory In Alaska Will Gain In Population After The War

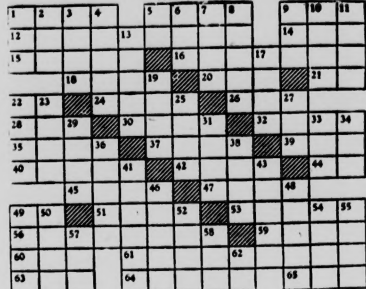
The territory of Alaska will gain 1,000,000 in population immediately after the war, Governor Ernest Gruening predicted.

"Thousands of service men who have learned of the opportunities Alaska has to offer while stationed in the north are eager to return and live there," the Alaskan executive said as he paused in a trip to Washington, D.C., for conferences on the territory's post-war program.

The average boy changes his vocation four times before the age of 20, according to an educational expert.

## X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

No. 4907



## HORIZONTAL

- 1 Moccasins
- 5 Prefix: against
- 9 Cry of crow
- 12 Style of performance
- 14 Southern constellation
- 15 Amorphous substance obtained from plants
- 16 King of Israel
- 18 Brunkards
- 20 Sailor
- 21 You and I
- 22 Exclamation of incredulity
- 24 African river
- 26 Exalted snake
- 28 Poisonous
- 30 Auroral
- 32 Froth:ance
- 35 List of names
- 37 To enfold
- 38 To speak with a guttural articulation
- 40 Short brocade

## VERTICAL

- 1 By
- 2 Chopping tool
- 3 Luck
- 4 Descendant
- 5 Preposition
- 6 Tautonic
- 7 To sound
- 8 Relative by marriage
- 9 Rotating part
- 10 Poetic: in a line

## Answer to No. 4906

1. Moccasins  
2. Chopping tool  
3. Luck  
4. Descendant  
5. Preposition  
6. Tautonic  
7. To sound  
8. Relative by marriage  
9. Rotating part  
10. Poetic: in a line  
11. To diminish  
12. To unfatten  
13. Aload  
14. Sluggish  
15. Male deer  
16. Ancient musical instrument  
17. Convulsive breath  
18. Egyptian divinity  
19. Principal chamber of a temple  
20. Howler  
21. Silkworm  
22. Pind  
23. Applies remedies to  
24. Hobo  
25. Dueling sword  
26. To educate  
27. Arille  
28. Great Lake  
29. Flat piece of ground  
30. Ireland  
31. Dirs  
32. Horns in a buren  
33. Girl's name  
34. Symbol for selenium

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



IN 42 YEARS, AMERICAN PRODUCED 86 MILLION MOTOR VEHICLES.

ANSWER: January.

## LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Ncher



"Then her mother arrived and opened up a second front."

## REG'LAR FELLERS—The Height of Kindness

BY GENE BYRNES



**THIS CERTAINLY IS WONDERFUL BREAD!**

**ROYAL IS CERTAINLY WONDERFUL YEAST!**



**ROYAL YEAST CAKES**

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**OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY--**

**Maggie Rebels**

By EDITH LOVELL

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

"Zeke!" said Maggie. "Zeke! I'll do it!"

"Uh huh," Zeke mumbled into the seed catalogue.

"There's my turkey money; if that isn't enough, I'll use some of the egg money."

"Uh huh," said Zeke. He eyed the half-page illustration of a tomato, more racy and lascivious than anything ever before brought to maturity with prater's ink.

"I never realized it was so bad, I guess. The magazines are sure wonderful these days."

"Sure are," agreed Zeke absently.

"Why, this picture might have been taken in this very room! It almost makes me blush. I guess I've always been too busy to keep up on good taste."

"Yeah," said Zeke.

"Let's see, I'd better do some measuring first. Then we can go to town and get some estimates," Maggie stared out the window.

The old clock ticked industriously in the silence of the winter afternoon. Startled, Zeke laid down the seed catalogue and looked at Maggie. There was a glint in her eyes. "Maybe I could get it all done by spring vacation when Joyce and Donald come home. Five weeks. Oh, yes, that ought to be time enough."

"Get what done?" asked Zeke. The seed catalogue slid to the floor unnoticed. It wasn't so much the nonsense she was babbling as the look on her face. Like the simple souls at revival meetings on the street corners in town Saturday nights.

"Painting and papering, new drapes, pictures—everything," said Maggie, still in her trance.

"It's kinda early for housecleaning," Zeke ventured cautiously. It couldn't be cabin fever, could it? They hadn't been snowed in this year; they'd been to town, and to the movies, and to church. And they had plenty of magazines too, although Maggie's eyes weren't so good as they used to be. But with all the children gone . . .

Maggie laughed, and her laughter had a richness in it. She usually chuckled, or merely crinkled her eye at a joke. She'd always been too

busy cooking or washing or mending to laugh much.

"Don't look so scared," she said. "I'm not cuckoo, even if I do sound like it. I'm going to do over the living room. Redecorate it. Like the illustration in this magazine. See, this picture is 'before' and this one 'after'. Why, our house must look antique!"

"Going in for some style, huh?" Zeke was relieved and pleased. A new interest, that's what Maggie needed, to give her some of the old sparkle.

"See, this room is a dead-ringer for our living room," said Maggie. "The light woodwork, flowered wallpaper and plain carpet clear to the walls. This old maple rocking chair. The cretonne covers on the sofa and chairs. These old-fashioned tie-back curtains. And that corner cupboard!"

"Uh huh," said Zeke, peering at the magazine. "I always kinda liked this room, myself, but fix it any way you want to."

Maggie spent money gleefully. She bought nice sensible brown paint for the woodwork and the floor, where the new rug wouldn't reach. The rug was green with a lot of rust-colored gewgaws. The new drapes were stiff and green. With them came fancy panel curtains.

"The sofa and chairs are all right," said Maggie. "We'll just take off the cretonne covers and put on some fancy dollies. The upholstery is good as new."

"Kinda dark," mumbled Zeke.

"But rich," said Maggie with authority. "I'm glad I found out a little about interior decorating."

Maggie chose plain henna wallpaper. "Dignified, and yet colorful," she labeled it.

Zeke painted and papered, pushed furniture about and hid the rug. Maggie took down the row of silhouette pictures over the sofa and replaced them with a large framed bowl of fruit. The new curtains shut out the sunshine, but Maggie sang as she put on the finishing touches—the fringed scarves at jaunty angles on the piano and library table; the dollies on the chair and sofa backs.

"It sure does change things," Zeke sighed. Maggie smiled happily.

Zeke went to the station to bring the two youngest of the brood, Joyce and Donald, home for spring vacation. As they rumbled along over the thawing roads, Zeke cleared his throat.

"There's been some changes since you was home," he said by way of introduction. "Your ma has done over the living room. Copied it after a picture in a magazine. I want you to say you like it whether you do or not."

Donald's mouth dropped open, and Joyce started to say something, but Zeke went on. "The way I figure it, it ain't so much what it looks like, as what it's done. Your ma has a new permanent wave, and some new clothes. She looks pretty classy. She's head of the Red Cross unit here, and she belongs to that Study Club in town your Aunt Helen's been trying to get her to join all these years. She feels, she says, that the home gives her a background."

"But what—" Joyce began.

"Anyway," went Zeke. "It looks like these darned interior decorators'd make up their minds about what's stylish and what's not, instead of going around in circles every thirty years."

"Well, what's the matter?" Donald demanded.

"It's like this," Zeke explained. "Your mother's eyesight ain't so good as it used to be. She got them 'before' and 'after' pictures mixed up. And changed the room from good to bad!"

**HAD SOME JOURNEY**

On Oct. 5 a Christmas parcel, mailed to Tpr. John McDonald of Chamcook, N.B., overseas, on Nov. 1, 1942, finally found its addressee at Chamcook. The parcel went overseas, followed Tpr. McDonald all around England, followed him from coast to coast in France when he was assigned to a mosquito boat, back to England where he was invalided last spring, and finally back to Canada where he has been reappointed.

More and more homemakers are seeing the economy of leaving crackers on the table through all pre-dessert courses. By economy, I mean saving butter—one of the rationed goods. Many housewives have been reduced to serving tiny slivers of butter in contrast to their generous pre-war pate in order to balance the ration coupon budget. But even a slim pat is sufficient for several crackers. In fact, the texture and salty flavor of the crackers make them delicious without any butter at all!



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**BAKED MACARONI**

1½ cups uncooked macaroni  
1 medium-size onion  
3 tablespoons Mazola  
3 cups canned tomatoes  
1 tablespoon corn syrup  
1½ teaspoons salt  
¼ teaspoon pepper  
¾ lb sausage meat  
¼ cup bread crumbs

Cook macaroni in 3 quarts boiling water to which has been added 3 teaspoons salt; drain and rinse. Cook onion in Mazola until golden brown; add tomatoes, corn syrup, salt and pepper; simmer 15 minutes. Shape sausage meat into six flat cakes; place half the macaroni in 1½ qt. casserole oiled with Mazola; cover with sausage patties; add remaining macaroni. Pour on tomato mixture; sprinkle with soft bread crumbs. Bake in moderate oven. Serves six.

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There is need of a generous attitude by industry.—Royal Bank Letter.

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**Canada's Link With Europe Will Be Ready By First Of January**

Canada's first short-wave radio link with Europe is almost forged, and by Jan. 1, 1945, should be on the air 18 hours a day. Dr. Augustin Frigon, general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, announced.

Dr. Frigon said the new station, now under construction at Sackville, N.B., will ultimately be the most efficient short-wave transmitter in North America. The first beam will go on the air on an experimental basis in December.

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